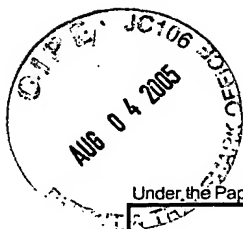


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This Response is filed responsive to the Final Office Action mailed June 8, 2005. In view of the comments set forth below, Applicants contend that all of the pending claims are patentable and in condition for allowance.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.